

SB 6 DUPRE ELECTION CODE
Requires the candidate to certify certain information in the notice of candidacy and for actions objecting to candidacy
Received from the House with amendments.

SB 8 GAUTREAUX COURTS
Provides for an additional \$20 court cost for juvenile offender services for the city court of Morgan City.
Received from the House with amendments.

SB 9 MCPHERSON SHERIFFS
Enables sheriffs to participate in the matched portion of an eligible deferred compensation plan offered to state and local government employees.
Received from the House with amendments.

SB 11 DUPRE VOTERS/VOTING
Changes poll hours, expands absentee voting period, allows qualified voters to vote absentee in person, provides for counting absentee vote of voter who dies before polls open
Received from the House with amendments.

SB 71 DUPRE DWI
Provides for penalties for a driver who refuses to submit to a chemical test after his involvement in a fatal crash or a crash resulting in serious injury which involves alcohol.
Received from the House with amendments.

SB 143 DUPRE DWI
Increases penalties relative to first or second offense driving while intoxicated when the offender has a BAC of 0.20 or more and prohibits a restricted driver's license under certain circumstances.
Received from the House with amendments.

SB 190 BOISSIERE TEACHERS RETIREMENT
Provides for monthly retirement benefits to be paid in advance and for retaining membership in Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana under certain circumstances. (7/1/03)
Received from the House with amendments.

SB 203 BOISSIERE PAROCHIAL EMPLOYEES RET
Requires the board of trustees to promulgate rules to comply with the qualified plan provisions of the Internal Revenue Code. (gov sig)
Received from the House with amendments.

SB 260 ELLINGTON SPECIAL DISTRICTS
Provides for revisions to the LaSalle Economic Development District.
Rules suspended. Called from the calendar.
Amendments proposed by the House read and rejected, 33 yeas, and 0 nays. Motion to reconsider tabled.

SB 283 BOISSIERE STATE POLICE RET FUND
Authorizes an increase in disability benefits for certain catastrophic injuries sustained before 7/1/03 in the performance
Received from the House with amendments.

SB 320 CHAISSON DWI
Changes certain circumstances regarding DWI from being elements of the crime to affirmative defense if the circumstances is lacking. (09-30-03)
Received from the House with amendments.

SB 406 CHAISSON CRIME/PUNISHMENT
Changes certain circumstances regarding vehicular homicide, vehicular negligent injuring, and first degree vehicular injury from being elements of the crime to affirmative defenses if the circumstance is lacking. (9/30/03)
Received from the House with amendments.

SB 539 C FIELDS VOTERS/VOTING
Provides for a closed party primary election system for congressional offices with candidates and voters participating in a first and second primary according to party affiliation. (1/1/04)
Rules suspended. Called from the calendar.
Made special order of the day No. 1 for 6/16.

SB 767 CHAISSON CRIME/PUNISHMENT
Creates the crime of unlawful refusal to submit to chemical tests to determine blood alcohol content after refusal to submit

on two previous and separate occasions.
Received from the House with amendments.

- SB 818 B JONES CIVIL PROCEDURE
Provides for continuous revision of the Code of Civil Procedure.
Received from the House with amendments.
- SB 855 ELLINGTON FAMILY LAW
Provides that a monetary gift be included when determining gross income for child support.
Received from the House with amendments.
- SB 860 DARDENNE USUFRUCT
Provides relative to the usufruct of a surviving spouse.
Received from the House with amendments.
- SB 864 C D JONES ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT
Provides for powers, duties, and functions of the Southside Economic Development District.
Received from the House with amendments.
- SB 876 MOUNT NURSING HOMES
Requires any nurse aide offered temporary employment at a care facility prior to completion of a criminal history check to be under direct supervision of a permanent employee or certain care giver.
Received from the House with amendments.
- SB 888 DARDENNE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT
Creates the "Louisiana Major Projects Development Authority Act".
Received from the House with amendments.
- SB 895 HOLLIS ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT
Provides for staggered terms of office for members of the State Board of Commerce and Industry.
Received from the House with amendments.
- SB 896 HOLLIS ECONOMIC DEVELOP DEPT
Abolishes the La. Film and Video Commission within DED and creates the Governor's Office of Film and Television Development with its authority.
Received from the House with amendments.
- SB 917 MALONE MOTOR CARRIERS
Exempts motor carriers of salt water from proving public convenience and necessity.
Received from the House with amendments.
- SB 923 HOYT FRAUD
Provides for the Uniform Fraudulent Transfer Act.
Received from the House with amendments.
- SB 967 JOHNSON ECONOMIC DEVELOP DEPT
Changes the name of the Small and Emerging Business Advisory Council to the Small Business Entrepreneurship Commission and provides for additional members and functions.
Received from the House with amendments.
- SB 1025 DARDENNE FUNDS/FUNDING
Provides authority to securitize the entire income stream from the tobacco settlement. (7/1/03)
Received from the House with amendments.
- SB 1046 B JONES EXPROPRIATION
Provides authority for certain cities to expropriate property by declaration of taking.
Received from the House with amendments.
- SB 1057 LENTINI CRIMINAL PROCEDURE
Provides for the protection of prosecution witnesses from retaliatory action.
Received from the House with amendments.
- SB 1072 BAJOE AGED PERSONS
Includes services to the infirm elderly within the definition of respite care services. (gov sig)
Received from the House with amendments.
- SB 1088 MCPHERSON MENTAL HEALTH
Provides relative to the Disability Services and Supports System Planning Group.
Received from the House with amendments.
- SB 1095 JOHNSON ROADS/HIGHWAYS

Provides for the Eastern New Orleans Interstate Oversight Commission and Traffic Control Officer program and relative to I-10 in eastern New Orleans if funding is made available.
(gov sig)

Received from the House with amendments.

- SR 70 C D JONES ECONOMIC DEVELOP DEPT
Requests department to create a study commission to make recommendations for funding and implementing a viable economic development and job creation plan for the Louisiana Delta parishes.
Read by title, amended, adopted.
- SR 72 CRAVINS ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY
Requests DEQ to effectively complete remediation in Eunice, Louisiana subsequent to a train derailment.
Introduced in the Senate. Read by title, rules suspended, adopted.
- SR 73 B JONES CONDOLENCES
Expresses condolences on the death of Judge Leon H. Whitten.
Introduced in the Senate. Read by title, rules suspended, adopted.
By a vote of 29 yeas and 0 nays.
- SR 74 C D JONES EDUCATION DEPARTMENT
Directs the Department of Education and Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to provide data and measurements used to compile the Public School District Teacher Profile.
Rules suspended; introduced in the Senate. Read by title, rules suspended, adopted.
By a vote of 22 yeas and 8 nays.
- SR 75 HOYT CONDOLENCES
Expresses condolences on the death of Dr. G.L. Gardiner.
Rules suspended; introduced in the Senate. Read by title, rules suspended, adopted.
- SCR 133 IRONS CONGRESS
Memorializes Congress to enact certain legislation that would correct the Medicare hospital outpatient prospective payment system methodology.
Received from the House without amendments.
- SCR 136 THOMAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES
Requests various state agencies to work together in order to develop proposals and recommendations to increase private employer contributions for their employees health insurance benefits.
Received from the House without amendments.
- SCR 137 HOYT CONDOLENCES
Extends condolences on the death of Camile Adams.
Introduced in the Senate. Read by title, rules suspended, adopted by the vote of 29 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.
- SCR 138 SCHEDLER HOSPITALS
Provides relative to the membership of the Forensic Strategic Task Force and extends the authority for such task force.
Introduced in the Senate. Read by title, rules suspended, adopted by the vote of 29 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.
- SCR 139 HEITMEIER INSURANCE DEPARTMENT
Requests the commissioner of insurance to provide reports regarding certain effects of the implementation of "flexible rating" in Senate Bill No. 721 on property tax rates in Louisiana.
Rules suspended; introduced in the Senate. Read by title.
Rules suspended; adopted by the vote of 32 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.
- SCR 140 MOUNT COMMITTEE STUDIES
Establishes the Mandatory Overtime Study Committee to study the extent of mandatory overtime required of registered nurses in Louisiana.
Rules suspended; introduced in the Senate. Read by title.
Rules suspended; adopted by the vote of 31 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.
- HB 35 TOOMY SCHOOLS/BOARDS
(Constitutional Amendment) Limits state mandates increasing the financial burden of local school boards
Rules suspended; reported with amendments.
Committee amendments read and adopted.

Read by title, recommitted to the Committee on
EDUCATION.

- HB 107 WELCH CREDIT/CARDS
Prohibits inducements to students to entice them to apply for a credit card
Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
- HB 138 TRICHE RETIREMENT/STATE EMPS
Provides for early retirement of LASERS members with actuarial reduction of benefits; requires abolition of positions vacated by early retirement and permits reestablishment only as provided in Act
Reported with amendments. Rules suspended, committee amendments read and adopted. Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 273 TOOMY DISTRICT ATTORNEYS/ASST
Omnibus assistant district attorney bill
Rules suspended; reported favorably.
- HB 404 HUDSON FAMILY VIOLENCE
Authorizes the use of electronic monitoring equipment in certain domestic violence cases
Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
- HB 410 McVEA RETIREMENT/STATE EMPS
Provides for a member to purchase directly from LASERS prior service credit in another system rather than repaying refunded contributions
Reported favorably, rules suspended, read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 439 MARTINY STUDENT/LOANS-SCHOLARSHIP
Permits certain high school students completing honors or advanced placement courses and having a minimum cumulative grade point average of 3.00 to qualify for TOPS Performance Awards under specified circumstances
Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
- HB 515 PINAC CREDIT/CONSUMER
Prohibits the business of credit repair services in the state
Reported with Legislative Bureau amendments which were read and adopted. Read by title and passed to a third reading.
- HB 573 CRANE BUDGETARY CONTROLS
Requires reductions to appropriations from the Louisiana Education Quality Support Fund resulting from budget adjustments to avoid a deficit to be apportioned equally to the appropriation to the Board of Regents and BESE
Rules suspended; reported favorably.
- HB 576 LEBLANC LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR
(Constitutional Amendment) Prohibits certain political activities by the legislative auditor and his employees and prohibits a former legislative auditor from qualifying for elected public office for two years after he leaves office
Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
- HB 583 FARRAR FUNDS/FUNDING
(Constitutional Amendment) Dedicates monies in the Lottery Proceeds Fund for support of the minimum foundation program and compulsive and problem gaming
Rules suspended; reported favorably.
- HB 593 LEBLANC BUDGETARY CONTROLS
Repeals obsolete requirement for explanation of differences between the executive budget and certain appropriation bills
Rules suspended; reported favorably.
- HB 637 LEBLANC FUNDS/FUNDING
(Constitutional Amendment) Eliminates possibility of double counting in the deposit of certain mineral revenues into the Budget Stabilization Fund
Rules suspended; reported favorably.
- HB 725 BOWLER INSURANCE/POLICIES
Provides for the conditions for cancellation, non-renewal, and increase of premiums and deductibles of certain property, casualty, and liability policies
Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.

HB 731 PINAC JUDGMENTS/CIVIL
Provides for the release of funds paid into escrow by tobacco product manufacturers in accordance with the Master Settlement Agreement
Rules suspended; reported favorably.

HB 802 TRICHE AMUSEMENTS/CARNIVALS
Creates the Louisiana Carnival and Amusement Rider Safety Act
Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.

HB 818 PINAC RETIREMENT/ASSESSORS
Relative to the Louisiana Assessors' Retirement Fund, provides for responsibility of official responsible for tax collection to deduct taxes to be remitted to the fund
Rules suspended. Called from the calendar.
Read by title and finally passed as amended 28 yeas and 0 nays; title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.

HB 819 PINAC RETIREMENT/ASSESSORS
Provides for the membership on and election procedures for the board of trustees
Rules suspended.
Read by title and finally passed, 31 yeas and 0 nays. Title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.

HB 844 FARRAR FUNDS/FUNDING
Dedicates all monies in the Lottery Proceeds Fund for support of the minimum foundation program and for services for compulsive and problem gaming
Rules suspended; reported favorably.

HB 845 MARTINY SHERIFFS
Provides with respect to the medical care which sheriffs are required to provide for prisoners
Rules suspended.
Read by title and finally passed as amended 31 yeas and 0 nays; title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.

HB 849 MARTINY CRIME/BATTERY
Creates the crime of domestic abuse battery
Rules suspended.
Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call as amended.

HB 866 BEARD RETIREMENT/STATE EMPS
Provides for the purchase of service credit in the Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System by certain former nonpublic school teachers
Rules suspended.
Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call as amended.

HB 892 HAMMETT ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT
Authorizes employers to count certain employees locating in Louisiana as "new direct jobs" under the Quality Jobs Rebate Program and provides for transferability of certain motion picture incentive tax credits
Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.

HB 895 LANCASTER CAMPAIGN FINANCE
Removes the exclusion of certain judicial seats from the definition of "major office" for purposes of the Campaign Finance Disclosure Act
Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.

HB 903 SCHNEIDER RETIREMENT/MUNICIPAL EMP
Allows repayment of withdrawn contributions by a trustee-to-trustee transfer of funds
Rules suspended.
Read by title and finally passed, 35 yeas and 0 nays. Title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.

HB 904 SCHNEIDER RETIREMENT/SCHOOL EMPS
Authorizes purchase of service credit for employment by out-of-state school boards
Rules suspended.
Read by title and finally passed, 33 yeas and 1 nays. Title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to

reconsider tabled.

HB 905 SCHNEIDER RETIREMENT/SCHOOL EMPS
Authorizes the purchase of substitute service by any active,
contributing member of the retirement system
Rules suspended.
Senate floor amendments read and adopted. Read by title and
finally passed as amended, 34 yeas and 0 nays; title read
and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to
reconsider tabled.

HB 907 SCHNEIDER RETIREMENT/FIREFIGHTERS
Changes membership of the board of trustees
Rules suspended.
Senate floor amendments read and adopted. Read by title and
finally passed as amended, 31 yeas and 1 nays; title read
and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to
reconsider tabled.

HB 908 SCHNEIDER RETIREMENT/MUNICIPAL EMP
Provides that an elected official otherwise eligible for
membership who is prevented from vesting by term limits shall
not be eligible for membership
Rules suspended.
Senate floor amendments read and adopted. Read by title and
finally passed as amended, 32 yeas and 1 nays; title read
and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to
reconsider tabled.

HB 912 SCHNEIDER RETIREMENT/STATE POLICE
Permits the purchase of service credit for employment with
certain law enforcement agencies
Rules suspended.
Read by title and finally passed as amended 32 yeas and
1 nays; title read and adopted and bill ordered to
the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.

HB 913 SCHNEIDER RETIREMENT/STATE POLICE
Allows a member who converts unused sick and annual leave into
a lump sum to have the monies deposited in his Deferred
Retirement Option Plan account
Rules suspended.
Senate floor amendments read and adopted. Read by title and
finally passed as amended, 34 yeas and 1 nays; title read
and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to
reconsider tabled.

HB 914 SCHNEIDER RETIREMENT/STATE POLICE
Authorizes the board to grant cost-of-living adjustments under
certain circumstances
Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by
title and passed to a third reading.

HB 924 HUNTER CRIME/SEX OFFENSES
Requires a person convicted of video voyeurism to register as a
sex offender
Rules suspended.
Read by title and finally passed, 34 yeas and 0 nays. Title
read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to
reconsider tabled.

HB 939 BRUCE LIABILITY/CIVIL
Limits the liability for nonprofit corporations which maintain
animal sanctuaries
Rules suspended.
Read by title and finally passed, 34 yeas and 0 nays. Title
read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to
reconsider tabled.

HB 945 HOPKINS COURTS/JUSTICE OF PEACE
Authorizes each constable of a justice of the peace court in
Caddo Parish to appoint a deputy
Rules suspended.
Read by title and finally passed, 32 yeas and 1 nays. Title
read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to
reconsider tabled.

HB 973 DIEZ CREDIT/CONSUMER
Provides for protection for the victims of identity theft
Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by
title and passed to a third reading.

HB 986 MURRAY RETIREMENT/STATE EMPS
Allows purchase of service credit for time spent on leave
without pay
Rules suspended.

Senate floor amendments read and adopted. Read by title and finally passed as amended, 35 yeas and 0 nays; title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.

- HB 997 LAFLEUR CRIME
Makes the crime of disarming a peace officer applicable to park wardens
Rules suspended.
Read by title and finally passed, 34 yeas and 0 nays. Title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- HB 998 GALLOT JUDGMENTS/CIVIL
Changes the delays for filing a motion for summary judgment
Rules suspended.
Read by title and finally passed as amended 29 yeas and 0 nays; title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- HB 1009 SCHWEGMANN CRIME/BATTERY
Creates the crime of battery of a bus operator
Rules suspended.
Senate floor amendments read and adopted. Read by title and finally passed as amended, 35 yeas and 0 nays; title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- HB 1054 LANCASTER CAMPAIGN FINANCE
Makes changes to campaign finance laws
Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
- HB 1055 LANCASTER ADMIN LAW/DIVISION
Removes the duty of the director of the division of administrative law to assure that agencies are properly promulgating rules
Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
- HB 1062 MARTINY GAMBLING/CHARITABLE
Provides with respect to the regulation of charitable gaming
Rules suspended.
Read by title and finally passed as amended 34 yeas and 1 nays; title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- HB 1068 LEBLANC BUDGETARY CONTROLS
Adjustment of performance data for executive branch agencies after budget enactment
Rules suspended; reported with amendments.
- HB 1084 POWELL RETIREMENT/MUNICIPAL EMP
Includes certain supplements, fees, and commissions in the computation of retirement benefits of city marshals and deputy city marshals
Reported favorably, rules suspended, read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 1093 TOOMY SHERIFFS
Authorizes certain increases in the salaries of sheriffs in parishes with a population of 400,000 or less
Rules suspended; reported favorably.
- HB 1103 FRUGE PRIVILEGES/LIENS
Provides for the privilege on proceeds recovered by injured persons
Rules suspended.
Senate floor amendments read and adopted. Read by title and finally passed as amended, 32 yeas and 2 nays; title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- HB 1115 TRICHE RETIREMENT/STATE EMPS
Provides with respect to the employee contribution rate and retirement benefits for wildlife agents
Rules suspended.
Read by title and finally passed, 35 yeas and 0 nays. Title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- HB 1126 HUNTER COURTS/CITY
Authorizes the City Court of Monroe to transfer certain funds into the court's general operation account
Rules suspended.
Read by title and finally passed, 31 yeas and 1 nays. Title

read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.

- HB 1143 RICHMOND DISTRICT ATTORNEYS
Authorizes the district attorney of Orleans Parish to reallocate funds fixed for the annual salaries of his assistants
Rules suspended.
Read by title and finally passed, 31 yeas and 1 nays. Title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- HB 1144 RICHMOND COURTS/COURT COSTS
Provides for court costs to fund the office of the district attorney in the parish of Orleans
Rules suspended.
Read by title and finally passed, 34 yeas and 0 nays. Title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- HB 1145 HUTTER CIVIL/DONATIONS
Prohibits certain persons from witnessing testaments
Rules suspended.
Read by title and finally passed, 35 yeas and 0 nays. Title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- HB 1153 DOWNER FIRE PROTECTION
Enacts the Louisiana Fire Service Bill of Rights
Rules suspended.
Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call as amended.
- HB 1174 DAMICO ENVIRONMENT/QUALITY DEPT
Requires public notice for certain discharges of hazardous substances
Rules suspended.
Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call.
- HB 1199 LEBLANC ADMINISTRATION DIVISION
Authorizes the division of administration to promulgate rules relative to recoupment of overpayments to employees on the statewide payroll system
Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
- HB 1202 FUTRELL LICENSING
Provides for licensing of individuals who install and service heating, ventilation, air conditioning, and refrigeration (HVACR) equipment
Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
- HB 1217 TRICHE MINERALS/FUND AUTHORITY
Provides relative to the Mineral Resources Operation Fund
Rules suspended; reported with amendments.
- HB 1227 BOWLER CHILDREN/SUPPORT
Provides for child support programs
Rules suspended.
Senate floor amendments read and adopted. Read by title and finally passed as amended, 33 yeas and 1 nays; title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- HB 1231 FUTRELL TEACHERS
Provides relative to teachers eligible for participation in the Critical Teacher Shortage Incentive Program
Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
- HB 1266 TOWNSEND CRIMINAL/APPEALS
Provides delays for making an appeal
Rules suspended.
Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call.
- HB 1270 WINSTON BUDGETARY PROCEDURES
Requires strategies for human resource policies which are helpful to women and families to be contained in agency strategic and operational plans
Rules suspended; reported favorably.
- HB 1279 SCHNEIDER RETIREMENT/STATE POLICE
Provides with respect to qualification of the system under the provisions of the Internal Revenue Code
Rules suspended.

Read by title and finally passed as amended 34 yeas and 1 nays; title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.

- HB 1299 DANIEL FUNDS/FUNDING
Provides for uses of Oil Spill Contingency Fund monies for discharge, well service, and blowout prevention activities and provides for certain thresholds in the fund
Rules suspended; reported favorably.
- HB 1331 WINSTON VITAL STATISTICS
Provides with respect to required information on birth certificates
Rules suspended.
Senate floor amendments read and adopted. Read by title and finally passed as amended, 32 yeas and 0 nays; title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- HB 1347 TOOMY COURTS/COMMISSIONERS
Provides relative to the salaries and duties of the commissioners of the 24th JDC
Rules suspended.
Read by title and finally passed, 32 yeas and 1 nays. Title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- HB 1348 PITRE PORTS/GRAND ISLE
Provides with respect to the debts and obligations of the Grand Isle Port Commission
Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
- HB 1350 DOWNER GOVERNMENT ORGANIZATION
Creates the Department of Veterans Affairs
Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
- HB 1352 LAFLEUR CRIME
Amends stalking provisions
Rules suspended.
Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call as amended.
- HB 1388 LANCASTER ADMIN LAW/DIVISION
Makes a technical change and reenacts the division of administrative law
Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
- HB 1393 DURAND NURSES
Provides relative to the authority of the Louisiana State Board of Nursing
Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
- HB 1397 DIEZ PUBLIC CONTRACT/BIDS
Provides relative to bid proposals
Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
- HB 1408 DEWITT MALPRACTICE/MEDICAL
Provides relative to medical review panels under the state and private medical malpractice acts
Rules suspended; reported favorably.
- HB 1419 ERDEY INSURANCE/RATES
Provides for agreements for the funding of approval and certification process for defensive driving courses
Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
- HB 1442 SWILLING RETIREMENT/HARBOR POLICE
Establishes standards for the investment of funds for Harbor Police Retirement System
Reported favorably, rules suspended, read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 1475 ARNOLD RETIREMENT/LOCAL
Specifies the time period for salary deductions with respect to employee contributions for the Firefighters' Pension and Relief Fund in the city of New Orleans
Reported favorably, rules suspended, read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 1476 HEBERT INSURERS

Allows unauthorized insurers to file lawsuits and enter pleadings without posting a bond, if placed on an approved list by the Department of Insurance
Reported with Legislative Bureau amendments which were read and adopted. Read by title and passed to a third reading.

- HB 1490 ARNOLD RETIREMENT/LOCAL
Allows survivor benefits for on-duty and other deaths for Firefighters' Pension and Relief Fund for the city of New Orleans
Reported favorably, rules suspended, read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 1501 SCHNEIDER RETIREMENT/FIREFIGHTERS
Relative to the administration of the system
Rules suspended.
Read by title and finally passed, 33 yeas and 1 nays. Title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- HB 1531 ARNOLD RETIREMENT/LOCAL
Provides for payment of the balance of a New Orleans Firefighters' Pension and Relief Fund member's Deferred Retirement Option Plan account to the beneficiary
Reported favorably, rules suspended, read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 1538 TUCKER INSURANCE/HMO
Implements risk-based capital for health maintenance organizations.
Reported with Legislative Bureau amendments which were read and adopted. Read by title and passed to a third reading.
- HB 1547 SALTER FUNDS/FUNDING
Establishes the Rural Economic Development Account within the Louisiana Economic Development Fund
Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
- HB 1555 BOWLER INSURANCE/HEALTH
Provides for definitions for purposes of state law relative to medical necessity review organizations
Reported with Legislative Bureau amendments which were read and adopted. Read by title and passed to a third reading.
- HB 1557 LANDRIEU RETIREMENT/LOCAL
Allows a participant in the New Orleans Firefighters' Pension and Relief Fund Deferred Retirement Option Plan to exercise an initial lump sum benefit option
Reported favorably, rules suspended, read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 1562 WALSWORTH AUCTIONS/AUCTIONEERS
Provides relative to the educational requirements and conduct of auctioneers and auction businesses
Reported with Legislative Bureau amendments which were read and adopted. Read by title and passed to a third reading.
- HB 1584 WELCH FUNDS/FUNDING
Establishes the Community-based Primary Health Care Initiative Fund in the state treasury and establishes the Community-based Primary Health Care Initiative
Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
- HB 1625 SCHNEIDER RETIREMENT/STATE SYSTEMS
Provides for amortization of the unfunded accrued liabilities
Rules suspended, reported without action.
- HB 1681 FLAVIN REAL ESTATE
Provides with respect to retention of records by certain registrants
Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
- HB 1688 LAFLEUR ELECTIONS/COMMISSIONERS
Provides for the timely payment of commissioners who serve at the polls on election day
Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
- HB 1690 DIEZ TRANSPORTATION DEPT
Authorizes loans from the state infrastructure bank to fund Department of Transportation and Development approved infrastructure projects of public entities
Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by

title and passed to a third reading.

HB 1708	HAMMETT	HIGHWAYS	Designates Louisiana Great River Road as a Louisiana byway Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
HB 1758	WINSTON	PUBLIC BLDGS/GROUNDS-ST	Provides with respect to the Percent for Art Program Rules suspended; reported favorably.
HB 1774	POWELL	SHERIFFS	Provides for payment of insurance premiums of certain retired sheriffs and deputy sheriffs in a parish with a population of between 100,000 and 102,000 Rules suspended; reported favorably.
HB 1789	MARTINY	GAMBLING/VIDEO POKER	Provides for the issuance of video poker employee permits Rules suspended. Read by title and finally passed, 32 yeas and 0 nays. Title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
HB 1797	KENNEY	AGRICULTURE	Provides relative to importation of cervid species Rules suspended. Senate floor amendments read and adopted. Read by title and finally passed as amended, 34 yeas and 1 nays; title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
HB 1806	TOOMY	FIRE PROTECT/FIREMEN	Provides for criminal history background checks for paid and volunteer firemen Rules suspended. Read by title and finally passed, 34 yeas and 0 nays. Title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
HB 1812	FAUCHEUX	CIVIL/CLAIMS	Authorizes certain causes of action against sponsors and participants of bonfire presentations on the Mississippi River levee Rules suspended. Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call.
HB 1819	WALSWORTH	FUNDS/FUNDING	Provides that the maximum amount of security regulated to be posted in appeals in civil litigation relating to the Master Settlement Agreement also applies to affiliates of a signatory to the agreement and all defendants Rules suspended; reported with amendments.
HB 1838	PINAC	CONDOMINIUMS/TIMESHARING	Revises the Louisiana Timeshare Act Reported with Legislative Bureau amendments which were read and adopted. Read by title and passed to a third reading.
HB 1839	BAYLOR	FAMILY VIOLENCE	Provides for the authority of hearing officers in juvenile courts Rules suspended. Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call.
HB 1840	DARTEZ	COUNSELORS	Provides for changes to marriage and family therapists law Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
HB 1876	K CARTER	MTR VEHICLE/DRIVER LIC	Increases the fee for issuance and renewal of drivers' licenses and dedicates the use of funds from such fee increases Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading. Rules suspended; read by title, recommitted to the Committee on REV & FISCAL AFFAIRS.
HB 1889	LUCAS	CREDIT/CONSUMER	Provides relative to certain fees and charges under the Louisiana Consumer Credit Law Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
HB 1909	BAYLOR	FUNDS/FUNDING	Authorizes the state to redirect certain payments owed to the

state by the city of Shreveport acting through the Shreveport Airport Authority for the further development of Shreveport Regional Airport

Rules suspended; reported favorably.

HB 1923	HUDSON	TEACHERS	Provides for the Teach Louisiana First Program to reduce the shortage of certified teachers in certain public schools Reported with Legislative Bureau amendments which were read and adopted. Read by title and passed to a third reading.
HB 1945	DIEZ	HIGHWAYS	Creates a Louisiana Byways Commission within the Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
HB 1984	G SMITH	CRIME/HOMICIDE	Provides with respect to first degree murder Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
HB 1987	SCALISE	CORRECTIONS/MEDICAL CARE	Prohibits the use of state funds for medical costs associated with organ transplants for certain prisoners Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
HB 1994	WELCH	SECONDHAND DEALERS	Prohibits a second hand dealer from selling or offering for sale articles of clothing which displays the insignia of a law enforcement agency or public utility company Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
HB 2002	PITRE	MOTOR CARRIERS	Provides relative to goods, products, or commodities transported by carrier Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
HB 2004	CROWE	INSURANCE/LIFE	Provides for the Department of Insurance to maintain a central database to contact life insurers upon a request to search for life insurance policies covering a decedent Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
HB 2010	MURRAY	NURSING HOMES	Authorizes the Milne Home for Girls to operate as an adult residential care home Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
HB 2015	LAFLEUR	TELECOMMUNICATIONS	Prohibits the transmission of unsolicited commercial electronic mail advertisements from Louisiana or to a Louisiana electronic mail address Reported with Legislative Bureau amendments which were read and adopted. Read by title and passed to a third reading.
HB 2019	GLOVER	HEALTH	Creates the Interagency Task Force on Health Literacy Reported with Legislative Bureau amendments which were read and adopted. Read by title and passed to a third reading.
HB 2025	GUILLORY	PUBLIC BUILDINGS/GROUNDS	Authorizes the governing authority in certain municipalities to name a senior citizens' services administrative building in honor of a local public officer under certain circumstances Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
HCR 103	WADDELL	RURAL/DEVELOPMENT	Requests the governor to issue an executive order to require various state government entities to coordinate funding efforts on behalf of rural areas Rules suspended; reported favorably.
HCR 155	LAFLEUR	COMMERCIAL REGULATIONS	Amends certain administrative rules relative to professional land surveyors Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
HCR 156	WELCH	CONGRESS	

Memorializes congress to provide fiscal relief for Louisiana by enacting a balanced tax cut with fiscal relief for the states
Rules suspended; reported favorably.

HCR 190 MARTINY COURTS/COURT COSTS
Suspends certain provisions of C.Cr.P. Art. 895.4 to limit certain crime stopper organizations to receiving funds which are
Rules suspended; read by title, recommitted to the Committee on REV & FISCAL AFFAIRS.

HCR 233 BOWLER STATE DEPARTMENTS
Urges and requests the division of administration to study the feasibility of implementing a statewide electronic payment system
Rules suspended; reported favorably.